

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Akira MIYAMAE et al.

Application No.: 10/730,105

Filed: December 9, 2003

For: OPTICAL COMMUNICATION DEVICE



Group Art Unit: 2874

Examiner: S. SONG

Docket No.: 117770

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**LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicant(s) hereby request(s) continued examination.

☒ Applicants further request entry and consideration of the submissions filed January 30, 2006 and February 17, 2006.

Attached hereto is our check no. 177100 in the amount of ☒ \$790.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

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